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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

This is in reply to the 03/16/2007 Office Action.

Applicants respectfully request clarification of the March 16, 2007 Restriction Requirement.

The Figures referenced with the Species do not match the Figure numbers of the current Figures of the application (the 37 sheets of formal drawings marked "REPLACEMENT SHEET" that were submitted 11/22/2006 – FIG.1 through FIG.51F).

In that the species restrictions groupings Figure reference numbers do not correspond with the Figure reference numbers 1 through 51F of the current Figures of the application, Applicants are not able to properly elect a species.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees or credit any overpayments associated with this communication to Deposit Account No. 12-2143.

Respectfully submitted,

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